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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 9743/4
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Inventor(s) Ludwig Angerpointner			
Title of Invention SLIP RING UNIT WITH A PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in dup.); Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in dup.); Amendment (15 pages); Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (4 pages); PTO Form 1449; Eight (8) Cited References; Checks for \$110 for Filing Fee for Extension of Time and \$180 for Filing Supplemental IDS; and White Acknowledgment Postcard.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for a one (1) month extension of time.

No additional fee is required.

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					Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	19	Minus	20	0	x \$9 =		x \$18 =	0
Indep.	7	Minus	5	2	x 42 =		x \$84 =	168
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$140 =		+ \$280 =	0
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I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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